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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
REQUEST FOR FILING A PATENT APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a **DIVISIONAL** application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of pending prior application Serial No.09/083,521, filed on May 22, 1998, entitled PROSTATE GROWTH-ASSOCIATED MEMBRANE PROTEINS.

1. Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, U. S. Application Serial No.09/083,521 filed May 22, 1998, including the oath or declaration as originally signed.
2. With regard to the requirement of 37 CFR 1.821(d) which requires that a copy of the Sequence Listing in computer readable form (CRF) be submitted, Applicants submit that the computer readable form of the "Sequence Listing" in the instant divisional application is identical with that filed for Serial No. 09/083,521, filed May 22, 1998, to which priority is claimed. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.821(e), please use the computer readable form filed with U.S. Application Serial No. 09/083,521 as the computer readable form for the instant divisional application. It is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary change in application number and filing date for the computer readable form that will be used for the instant divisional application.
3. Cancel in this application original claims 3, 6-7, 9-13, 19-20 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes.)
4. The inventor(s) of the invention being claimed in this application is (are): Preeti Lal, Karl J. Guegler and Neil C. Corley.

5. In accordance with 37 CFR 1.63(d) a copy of the originally signed declaration showing applicant's/applicants' signature(s) as filed on August 11, 1998, is enclosed.

6. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: "This application is a divisional application of U.S. application serial number 09/083,521, filed May 22, 1998."

7. The filing fee is calculated below:

Claims	Number Filed	Minus	Number Extra	Other Than Small Entity Rate	Basic Fee	
					\$760.00	
Total Claims	10	-20	0	x \$18		\$0
Indep. Claims	1	-3	0	x \$78		\$0
<u> </u> Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any				+ \$260		\$0

TOTAL FILING FEE \$ 760.00

8. An extension of time in the above-named prior application has been requested and the fees therefore have been authorized in said application.

9. Please charge Incyte Pharmaceuticals, Inc. Deposit Account No. 09-0108 in the amount of \$760.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Incyte Pharmaceuticals, Inc. Account No. 09-0108.

Duplicate copies of these papers are enclosed.

10. New formal drawings are enclosed.

11. The prior application is assigned of record to Incyte Pharmaceuticals, Inc, recorded on August 14, 1998, at reel 9403/frame 0092.

12. A preliminary amendment is enclosed.

13. Also enclosed: Return Postcard; Information Disclosure Statement (2pp, in duplicate); List of References Cited by Applicant (2 pp, in duplicate); Copy of Previously Submitted Revocation of Power of Attorney and Appointment of New Attorneys (2 pp).

14. The power of attorney of the prior application is to:

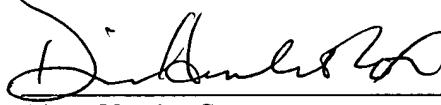
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- a. An associate power of attorney is attached.
- b. Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.
- c. Address all future correspondence to:

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